10-16-00 firer No. 20350 Attorney Docket No. 19281-000700US CEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP Embarcadero Center, 8th Floor antipacisco, California 94111-3834 301-4000 "Express Mail" Label No. ____EF056747522US ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Date of Deposit: October 12, 2000 **BOX PATENT APPLICATION** I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Washington, D.C. 20231 Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service? under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above, addressed to Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is the **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** [X] patent application of Washington, D.C. 20231 [] continuation patent application of divisional patent application of [] continuation-in-part patent application of Inventor(s)/Applicant Identifier: John J. Sie et al. For: LOCAL NEAR VIDEO ON DEMAND STORAGE [X] This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates: U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/159,202, filed October 13,1999; U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/159,469, filed October 13,1999; U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/163,324, filed November 3,1999 the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference. Please amend this application by adding the following before the first sentence: "This application is a [] continuation [] continuation-in-part of and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/_____, filed _____, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference." __ page(s) of specification [[X] [X] [X] [X] __ page(s) of claims __ page of Abstract sheet(s) of [X] formal [] informal drawing(s). An assignment of the invention to A [] signed [] unsigned Declaration & Power of Attorney A [X] signed [] unsigned Declaration. A Power of Attorney by Assignee with Certificate Under 37 CFR Section 3.73(b). A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 [] is enclosed [] was filed in the prior application and small entity status is still proper and desired. A certified copy of a Notification of change of [] power of attorney [] correspondence address filed in prior application. OTHER THAN (Col. 1) (Col. 2) **SMALL ENTITY** SMALL ENTITY FOR: NO. FILED NO. EXTRA RATE FEE OR RATE FEE **BASIC FEE** \$355.00 OR \$710.00 *****0 TOTAL 20 - 20 x \$9.00 =OR x \$18.00 =\$0.00 **CLAIMS** INDEP. - 3 x \$40.00 =OR x \$80.00 =\$0.00 **CLAIMS** [] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENTED + \$135.00 = + \$270.00 = OR * If the difference in Col. 1 is less than 0, enter "0" in TOTAL OR TOTAL \$710.00 Col. 2. Please charge Deposit Account No. 20-1430 as follows: [X] Filing fee \$710.00 [X] Any additional fees associated with this paper or during the pendency of this application. The issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b) [] A check for \$ is enclosed. [] Respectfully submitted, extra copies of this sheet are enclosed. TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP Telephone: Facsimile: Thomas D./Franklin (303) 571-4000 (303) 571-4321 Reg No.: 48,618

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